IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	Group Art Unit: 2825
William H. ROBERTSON et al.	Examiner: Whitmore, Stacy
Serial No.: 10/600,999	Confirmation No.: 5787
Filed : June 20, 2003	
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR FACILITATING ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT AND CHIP DESIGN USING REMOTELY LOCATED RESOURCES	

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114 WITH AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed June 07, 2007 and the Advisory Action mailed on August 20, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and amend the above-identified application as follows. This Amendment is being filed concurrently with a request for continued examination (RCE).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 13.